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CALIFORNIA TREASURER ANGELIDES CALLS ON GOVERNOR TO RETRACT HIS PRAISE OF “MINUTEMAN PROJECT”

“Today on a talk radio show, Governor Schwarzenegger said that the members of the ‘Minuteman Project’ patrolling the Mexican-U.S. border have ‘done a terrific job.’ This is a group that President Bush has described as ‘vigilantes.’

“The Governor apparently still does not understand that words matter. By praising these armed vigilantes, Governor Schwarzenegger has once again made deeply regrettable comments that reflect poorly on the State of California. As he did the day after calling for the borders to be closed, the Governor must retract his remarks and apologize to the people of California.”

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